In re Application of:

ATSUSHI MATSUMOTO

Application No.: 09/434,404

Filed: November 5, 1999

For: IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD, SYSTEM AND

APPARATUS, AND STORAGE MEDIUM

Docket No. 00862.003194.

Examiner: Joseph R. Pokrzywa

Art Unit: 2622

Date: September 6, 2005

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED								
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 18	MINUS	** 25	= 0	x \$25 \$50	0		
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 5	MINUS	*** 6	= 0	x \$100 \$200	0		
Fee for Mu	Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360							
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						0		

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	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.						
X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.						
	Respectfully submitted,						
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## PATENT APPLICATION

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## Mail Stop Amendment

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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 6, 2005, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows. The claims are listed beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 8.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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September 6, 2005
Signature
Date of Signature